

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Goletti et al.	Confirmation No.:	9550
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for replying to the Office Action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned application on August 21, 2009 be extended for 1 month, to and including December 21, 2009.

Applicants hereby authorize the Office to charge Deposit Account No. 03-2095 in the amount of \$65.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a). If there are any other charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

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